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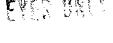
MEMORANDUM FOR: Col. J. C. King, CWH

SUBJECT:

PBSUCCESS

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Operation, WH/PW and I nad prepared a basic general paper on the PW aspects of the anticipated MJFUS campaign. In addition, I had prepared a general outline paper on his views as to what ne would do after PBSUCCESS became a success. Moreover, more than two million items of propaganda were shipped to MJFUS. Tape recorders and three mimeograph machines were on their way to MJFUS, three other reproduction machines (Gestetners) were up for immediate procurement, CHJAGE was in operation, CHJA (in Guatemala) was putting out over 100,000 pieces of propaganda every two weeks and organizing a newspaper. FAGE was being organized in San Salvador and plans were being made to put I in contact with LIOMIZER group in Mexico. Furthermore, financial commitments, approved by the DCI had been made to I WH/PW had already outlined to all WH Field Stations the general alms re Guatemala, sent them support materials, outlined future possible support and provided them with more than 20 initial themes.
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3. In a conversation with SEEKFORD, this officer was told that
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5. The three Gestetner machines promised to RUFUS before []







arrived, were delayed for two months through confusion or over-

- 7. Informed this officer that he would be in charge of activities in a regional area surrounding Guatemala, however, when action dispatches from that area were referred to him they were returned without comment or no action was taken. When questioned re this, no answer was forthcoming. WH/PW, Mr. and to resolve whatever problems arose.
- 8. Since this officer and ______ had been planning re control of the Mexican exile group, this officer repeatedly, through Mr._____ asked for some sort of decision so that action could be taken. Such a decision has never been transmitted to Mr.______ or this officer.
- Twas one of , I Ttoward/ 9. The attitude of am going to run this show my way and if it happens to coincide with I fine, if it doesn't then...I'm running the show and we'll control RUFUS and ☐ He also felt that [planning was dream material and too general. This officer fest and still feels knows what the people of Guatemala will accept in the way of propaganda and what they won't. Jis also smart enough to know that propaganda is going to have to be played by ear - to a large extent - during and after the PBSUCCESS Operation - thus has avoided too specific planning, but has evidenced every desire to cooperate with our wishes and has shown nothing but the completest ideological accord. In addition, every present PW mechanism (CEJA, CEJAGE, FAGE and their newspapers) was built by HUKUS and 一(before P arrived) thus evidencing ability to produce smoothly without dictation. We should aid not drive.
- 10. [] has never told WH/PW what support it should try to give him owner unan that [] must approve everything going to any WH station re Guatemaia.

